

ASSUMPTION COLLEGIAN

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ANOTHER GRADUATE HONORED.

It may be of interest to old Assumption students to learn that Rev. Fr. O'Connell, of Rhetoric '94 has been made Chancellor of the diocese of Cleveland and Diocesan Administrator in the absence of the Bishop.

A K. of C. 's TO HOLD RETREAT

At the last meeting of the Windsor Council, Knights of Columbus, it was decided to again hold their retreat at Assumption College, which annual event was so successfully held last summer. Rev. Fr. Muckle has kindly consented to place the facilities of the College at the disposal of the Knights for this year's retreat which will be held sometimes during the summer months.

Frs. Bondy and Forrestal will this year take a summer course at the University of Chicago, specializing respectively in French and in English. Fr. Bondy expects to receive his degree of Master of Arts at the conclusion of this summer's course. Fr. Rogers will spend the summer at the University of Michigan, specializing in science.

The annual retreat for the students of the College will be held from May 22nd to May 26th inclusive. The retreat is to be preached by Rev. Fr. Theunte, a Dominican Father from Minneapolis. Rt. Rev. Mgr. Van Antwerp will this year be absent in Rome and will be unable to conduct the retreat, as has been the case for several years past.

It is interesting to note that the man who drafted the plans for the New Detroit-Windsor bridge, is a former Assumption student.

His many Assumption friends will be glad to hear that 'Chile' Navarette has arrived safely at his destination in Germany after a journey of about three thousand miles.

Fr. Robert Benson was a visitor at the College Tuesday. As usual he received an enthusiastic reception from his former pupils and fellow-professors.

PLAY TO BE POSTPONED

The date for the production of Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" has been definitely set for the evenings of May 29th and 30th. It is expected that the play will be all the better for the postponement as the cast will have about ten more days of rehearsal.

PIRATES FALL BEFORE ASSUMPTION

Assumption base-ball team had its first taste of left-hand pitching Saturday evening, when they met the Windsor Pirates on the home diamond and defeated them 8-4. Durand pitched the entire game, and although more liberal with his hits than was the case a week ago, yet he was seldom hard straight and pitched a fine game. The visitors employed three pitchers during the first, two of whom delivered from the portside.

The Pirates scored in the first innings with the aid of a hit and an error, and in the same inning Assumption tied the count. An opportunity to break the tie was lost when Jacques fanned in the same inning with Shanesy waiting on second.

In the second frame Assumption tallied twice with the help of bats swung by Messrs. Lowery, Wagner and Durand. The visitors were retired in order. The third inning saw a change of pitchers on the part of the Pirates, Clark, a right-hander, taking the mound. He was for a while master of the situation and only three men faced him that inning. Shanesy fanned and O'Brien and Jacques flied out.

The fourth inning saw each team score again. Assumption scored once and the Pirates pushed two across, when O'Brien fumbled Ausburne's fly to short center. In the fifth inning the Pirates scored one more. Lowery's timely hitting played an important part in the sixth. Polomski fouled out, Shanesy fanned, and Jacques doubled to center; Zott walked, and Mr. Lowery then doubled to left scoring the two men on the bags.

Laesser pitched the last three innings for the visitors. Durand was the first man to face him and was safe on an error, and Noon was also safe for the same reason; on the way Durand was nipped sliding in third. O'Brien forced Polomski out at second and Shanesy flied out. Durand struck out two men in this inning and the other hit and easy roller to third. In the eighth inning two of the visitors tried to sling long drives past Mr. Jacques but the Assumption manager cut them off with two fine catches. Assumption scored the last two runs this inning. Durand bunted and noon followed with a single. Isaacs tied to nip Durand but threw wild and both runners scored.

The visitors collected ~~xxxxxxxx~~ ten hits from Durand, while Assumption was able to slam only seven safeties. Durand set ten Pirates down after giving them three healthy wiffs at the ozone; five Assumption men struck out. Jimmie Burns, former Assumption star catcher and first secker was among the spectators and remarked afterwards that it was a very fine game. He further stated that this year's team stood high in the opinion of the Alumni because of the team's victory over the Mint-leaguers.

<u>Assumption</u>	<u>XX</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>E</u>	<u>Pirates</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>E</u>
Noon s.s.	1	1	0		Tierman s.s.	1	1	2
Polomski r.f.	1	1	0		Merrel 3rd	1	3	2
O'Brien 2nd	1	0	0		Clark c.f.	0	1	0
Shanesy c.	0	1	2		Isaacs c.	0	0	2
Jacques l.f.	1	1	0		Slatt 1st	1	2	0
Zott 1st	1	0	3		Ausburne 2	0	0	1
Lowery c.f.	1	2	0		Laesser r.f.	1	0	2
Wagner 3rd	1	1	0		Clifford l.f.	0	3	0
Durand p.	1	0	0		Wilson p.	0	0	2
	8	7	5			4	10	11

Last Friday afternoon the Philosophers team played its first game of the season and defeated the Faculty by the score of 18-13, in six innings. Hall and Kelley pitched for the Philosophers and show promise of becoming very capable pitchers. The Arts men knocked four Faculty pitchers out of the box.

TAI/KUNS SUFFER DEFEAT

Sunday afternoon the Tai Kuns were handed a 9-1 defeat by the Norwoods. The Norwoods are a team composed of Assumption day-scholars and are an excellent ball-club. In the person of Johnnie Murray they have a first class moundman and he ably displayed his wares Sunday. The Tai Kuns were unable to solve his delivery and could collect only two safties off him. Greg Grimaldi hurled for the Tai Kuns and gave the visitors seven hits. The Tai Kuns played better ball than they did a week ago against the Trinity nine and it was mostly the fine pitching of Murray that kept score low.

Saturday night the Norwoods played a post-season basket-ball tilt, defeating the Collegiate Reserves of Windsor, 20-15. It might also be stated here since the topic in question having played by Assumption, that the Windsor Pirates and The Windsor Collegiate are the Ontario basket-ball champion in their respective classes. Both won their titles during the last few weeks.

WARRIORS GOING STRONG.

Sunday afternoon Mr. Walsh's Warriors trimmed the Wyandotte Sacred Heart nine 16-6. Krave, pitching for the locals, gave a good account of himself in the game, and in fact the entire team showed to excellent advantage.

MINNIMS WIN DOUBLE-HEADER.

Sunday afternoon Father Tighe's Minnims played a double-header and won both games. Their first victims were the Walkerville A.C. nine, whom they trounced 11-2 in five innings. They then took on the Amherstburg Grade School team and in a nine inning game defeated them 9-4. McIntyre hurled for the Minnims and acquitted himself admirably.

FIRST TEAM BATTING AVERAGES.

Following is the official batting average including Saturday's game:

Player	AB	R	TB	E	Average.
Noon	18	9	15	0	.500
Lowery	11	5	5	0	.455
Polomski	9	3	6	0	.333
Grates	11	3	5	2	.273
Shanesy	14	3	5	3	.223
Jacques	13	3	4	0	.221
Wagner	10	2	2	1	.200
McGuire	5	1	1	0	.200
O'Brien	9	1	1	1	.112
Durand	14	1	2	0	.071
Brady	3	0	0	0	.000
Zott	4	0	0	4	.000
Sheehan	2	0	0	1	.000
Coyne	2	0	0	0	.000
	125	31	46	12	.157

The Philosophers Hand-ball team won the inter-class championship Tuesday afternoon when they defeated the Rhetoric team in a bitterly contested game, with a final score of 21-18. Dillon and Bricklin played for the Philosophers and have gone through the year without once being defeated.

GOLF BUG HITS VASSUMPTION.

The sporting editors of local newspapers have apparently failed to take notice of the activities of the assumption golf enthusiasts, but it is certainly not because their activities are undeserving of attention. Every recreation period finds a twosome or a foursome making the rounds of the improvised links on the College campus, with a sizeable gallery accompanying the players from hole to hole. If the rate at which local golf fans are increasing continues, it will not be long before this game is numbered among our major sports. Messrs. Brady, Sullivan, McMullan, Jacques and Grates are at present among those most prominent on our 'links'.

The base-ball game with Michigan State Normal School scheduled for yesterday afternoon at Ypsilanti was postponed owing to rain and will be played off at some future date.

Fr. Spratt and Messrs. Hogan, Hoey, Kronert are occupying beds in the sick-room. Bill Hogan got up about the same time that 'Duke' Hoy went to bed and Jack Kronert wisely remarked that Bill had to get up in order to give 'Duke' the pajamas, so that the latter could retire.

WISE CRACKS.

Fr. Plourde: "Some people are gifted with frivolity and no sense".
Marchand: "I have a cent"

Mr. Laporte: "McKenna, where is Pat O'Mara this afternoon?"
Charlie: "I'm no dog-catcher, sir, How should I know?"

Vahey: "What does 'haxxi' 'baisers' in the last line mean, Father?"
Fr. Plourde: "It means embraces or kisses."
Bud: "I'll have to get this line down pat"

Fr. Coughlin: "If you have tears prepare to shed them now, alright Sarsa parilla, what is the Greek word for blow or strike."

Meloche: "I don't know"

Fr. Coughlin: Biff! Bing! Bang! I'm just starting.

Meloche: "Oh! No! Three strikes, your out."

Stapleton: "What are the mumps?"

Kramer: "Oh, they are a swell disease."

Lyons: "That old book-keeper has been adding up columns so long that he is all run down."

Hayes: "Sort of a total wreck eh."

Mr. Dwyer to Art Reaume: "Say, you don't need that chip on your shoulder, you've got a block there already."

Fr. Rogers to Frazier: -as the latter writes down problem in algebra- "You don't need an algebra teacher, what you need is an oculist."

Inebriated gentlemen down town: "Hic!"

Fr. Donovan: -passing by absent-mindedly- "Hasc, Hoc. Now try the genitive. 2